

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

OFFICE OF FOSSIL ENERGY

CALPINE ENERGY SERVICES, L.P.)
(Successor to Calpine East Fuels LLC)) FE DOCKET NO. 00-06-NG

ORDER TRANSFERRING AND AMENDING BLANKET
AUTHORIZATION TO IMPORT AND EXPORT NATURAL GAS

DOE/FE ORDER NO. 1567-A

On February 1, 2000, the Department of Energy (DOE), under section 3 of the Natural Gas Act (NGA),^{1/} and DOE Delegation Order Nos. 0204-111 and 0204-127, granted Calpine East Fuels LLC (Calpine East) in DOE/FE Order No. 1567 (Order 1567), authority to import and export up to a combined total of 40 billion cubic feet (Bcf) of natural gas from and to Canada over a two-year term beginning on July 1, 2000, and extending through June 30, 2002.^{2/}

^{1/} 15 U.S.C. § 717b.

^{2/} 2 FE¶ 70,456.

On March 8, 2001, Calpine Energy Services, L.P. (Calpine Energy) filed an application with DOE/FE, requesting (1) the transfer of Calpine East's import and export authority to Calpine Energy and (2) an amendment of the blanket authorization to increase the authorized volume to a combined total of 110 Bcf. Calpine Energy, a Delaware limited partnership with its principal place of business in Houston, Texas, is the general partner of Calpine Energy Services GP, Inc. Calpine Energy was formed in June 2000 to engage as the fuel procurement manager for electric power plants owned and/or operated by company affiliates. Calpine Energy is requesting this increase in anticipation of increasing gas import/export activities during the remaining term of its blanket authorization.

Accordingly, pursuant to section 3 of the Natural Gas Act, the import and export authorization conferred by DOE/FE Order No. 1567 (Order 1567) is transferred from Calpine East Fuels LLC to Calpine Energy Services, L.P. (Calpine Energy), effective the date of this Order. Order 1567 is amended to authorize Calpine Energy to import and export up to a combined total of 110 billion cubic feet of natural gas from and to Canada beginning on July 1, 2000, and extending through June 30, 2002. All other terms and conditions of Order 1567 shall remain in full force and effect.

Issued in Washington, D.C., on March 23, 2001.

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